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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Coffey

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SUBJECT : Problem Solving Seminar #3

1. On this one we are at an impasse but time may cure our dilemma.
2. Hugh Cunningham's program for developing seminar type training courses for professionals which may soon equate to the same training given CT's might be considered a partial step in the direction of providing the supplemental form of training we are seeking. I am quite aware that there is a distinct difference between the CT type training and the mid-career training but I think Hugh Cunningham is attempting to erase some of this difference.
3. Problem Solving Seminar #5 may offer some new approaches which would offer the substitute type training we are seeking.
4. I, therefore, propose to pend this matter until we have the reports from Problem Solving Seminar #5. If this does not offer a possible solution I am not sure where we should go but at least we can discuss it.
5. As regards Hugh Cunningham's proposal to abolish the mid-career program as such but to retain the mid-career training course, I do not object to this proposal and suggest that if Mr. Cunningham still feels this way why not have him initiate a paper to achieve this purpose. I think we all agree the program as such is dead and we might as well take it off the books and the regulations.

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